

House Resolution No. 42

Whereas, from time to time the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are called upon to honor a very special couple who have embarked upon a new life together; and

Whereas, this legislative body recognizes the significance of the institution of marriage as a vital foundation of American society and wholeheartedly believes that a successful union can be achieved only through a loving relationship of mutual honor, respect, and trust; and

Whereas, Jeffery D. Siems of Clinton, Iowa, and Carrie B. Rand of Blue Springs, Missouri, were joined in Holy Matrimony during a beautiful wedding ceremony officiated by the Reverend Mark Williams and assisted by the Reverend William Crawford on June 19, 2004, at the home of the bride's parent, Jim and Nancy Rand of Blue Springs; and

Whereas, after they exchanged their sacred nuptial vows, Jeffery and Carrie Siems proudly attended a reception with dinner, music, and fireworks held at the bride's parents home, followed by a honeymoon in Kauai, Hawaii; and

Whereas, Jeffery and Carrie Siems are entering this new chapter in their lives with hope and optimism for success that can surely be achieved through the strength of the love so deep in their hearts; and

Whereas, Jeffery and Carrie Siems rejoice in the confidence that their love and commitment will grow each and every day of their marriage; and

Whereas, Jeffery and Carrie Siems dreamed of becoming husband and wife received the blessings, love, and encouragement of their wedding party whose members included their parents, Evie Siems and Jim and Nancy Rand; the Maid of Honor, Mika Miller; the Bridesmaids, Tara Butler, Ashley Welch, and Amber Nelson; the Best Man, Ben Fox; and the Groomsmen, Jeff Hohnstein, Kirk Scheckel, and Craig Bennken:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to Jeffery and Carrie Siems for having pledged their love to each other in the presence of God and man and in wishing them nothing but happiness, good health, and prosperity as husband and wife in the many years ahead; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Jeffery D. Siems of Grain Valley.

Offered by _____
Representative Bryan Pratt
District No. 55

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 42, adopted January 6, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker